



$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{1}{2}^+)$ Status: ***

The quantum numbers have not been measured, but are simply assigned in accord with the quark model, in which the Ω_c^0 is the ssc ground state. No absolute branching fractions have been measured.

Ω_c^0 MASS

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
2695.2 ± 1.7 OUR FIT		Error includes scale factor of 1.3.		

2695.2 + 1.8 - 1.6 OUR AVERAGE Error includes scale factor of 1.3. See the ideogram below.

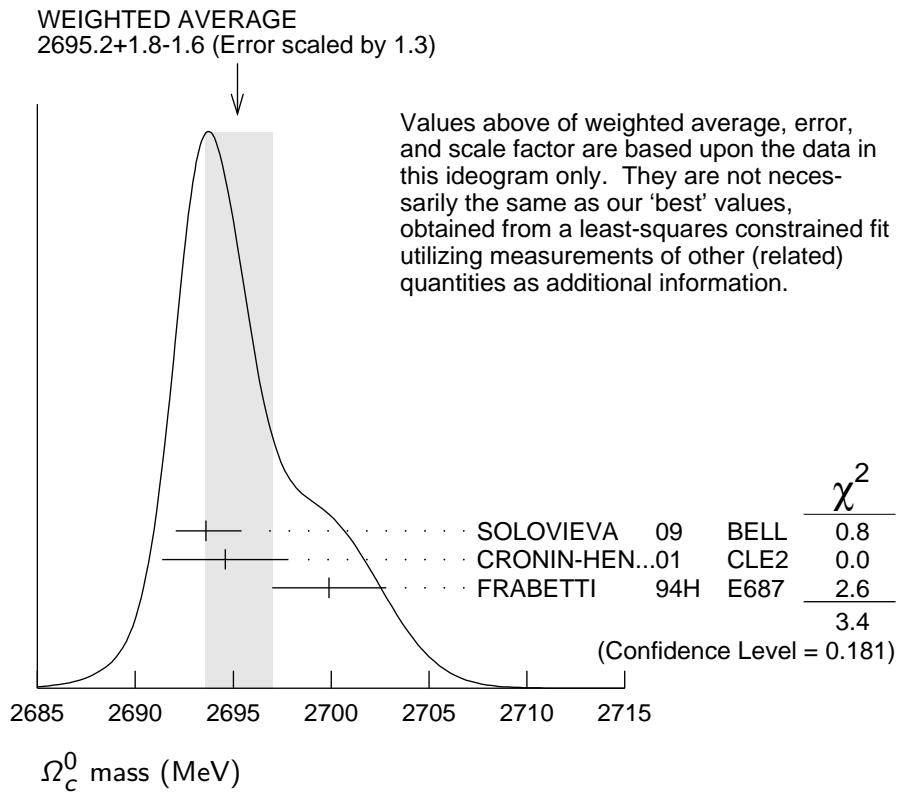
2693.6 ± 0.3 ^{+1.8} _{-1.5}	725	SOLOVIEVA 09	BELL	$\Omega^- \pi^+$ in $e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$
2694.6 ± 2.6 ± 1.9	40	¹ CRONIN-HEN..01	CLE2	$e^+ e^- \approx 10.6$ GeV
2699.9 ± 1.5 ± 2.5	42	² FRABETTI 94H	E687	γ Be, $\bar{E}_\gamma = 221$ GeV
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
2705.9 ± 3.3 ± 2.0	10	³ FRABETTI 93	E687	γ Be, $\bar{E}_\gamma = 221$ GeV
2719.0 ± 7.0 ± 2.5	11	⁴ ALBRECHT 92H	ARG	$e^+ e^- \approx 10.6$ GeV
2740 ± 20	3	BIAGI	85B SPEC	Σ^- Be 135 GeV/c

¹ CRONIN-HENNESSY 01 sees 40.4 ± 9.0 events in a sum over five channels.

² FRABETTI 94H claims a signal of 42.5 ± 8.8 $\Sigma^+ K^- K^- \pi^+$ events. The background is about 24 events.

³ FRABETTI 93 claims a signal of 10.3 ± 3.9 $\Omega^- \pi^+$ events above a background of 5.8 events.

⁴ ALBRECHT 92H claims a signal of 11.5 ± 4.3 $\Xi^- K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$ events. The background is about 5 events.



Ω_c^0 MEAN LIFE

VALUE (10^{-15} s)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
268±24±10	978	¹ AAIJ	18J	LHCb $p K^- K^- \pi^+$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
72±11±11	64	LINK	03C	FOCS $\Omega^- \pi^+, \Xi^- K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$
55 ⁺¹³ ₋₁₁ ⁺¹⁸ ₋₂₃	86	ADAMOVICH	95B	WA89 $\Omega^- \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^+, \Xi^- K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$
86 ⁺²⁷ ₋₂₀ ^{±28}	25	FRABETTI	95D E687	$\Sigma^+ K^- K^- \pi^+$

¹AAIJ 18J, with nearly five times more events than the previous three experiments combined, gets a lifetime that is nearly four times larger than the average of those experiments, $(69 \pm 12) \times 10^{-15}$ s. We go with the larger data sample.

Ω_c^0 DECAY MODES

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level

**No absolute branching fractions have been measured.
The following are branching *ratios* relative to $\Omega^- \pi^+$.**

Cabibbo-favored ($S = -3$) decays — relative to $\Omega^- \pi^+$

		DEFINED AS 1	
Γ_1	$\Omega^- \pi^+$		
Γ_2	$\Omega^- \pi^+ \pi^0$	1.80 ± 0.33	
Γ_3	$\Omega^- \rho^+$	>1.3	90%
Γ_4	$\Omega^- \pi^- 2\pi^+$	0.31 ± 0.05	
Γ_5	$\Omega^- e^+ \nu_e$	2.4 ± 1.2	
Γ_6	$\Xi^0 \bar{K}^0$	1.64 ± 0.29	
Γ_7	$\Xi^0 K^- \pi^+$	1.20 ± 0.18	
Γ_8	$\Xi^0 \bar{K}^{*0}, \bar{K}^{*0} \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$	0.68 ± 0.16	
Γ_9	$\Xi^- \bar{K}^0 \pi^+$	2.12 ± 0.28	
Γ_{10}	$\Xi^- K^- 2\pi^+$	0.63 ± 0.09	
Γ_{11}	$\Xi(1530)^0 K^- \pi^+, \Xi^{*0} \rightarrow$	0.21 ± 0.06	
Γ_{12}	$\Xi^- \bar{K}^{*0} \pi^+$	0.34 ± 0.11	
Γ_{13}	$\Sigma^+ K^- K^- \pi^+$	<0.32	90%
Γ_{14}	$\Lambda \bar{K}^0 \bar{K}^0$	1.72 ± 0.35	

Ω_c^0 BRANCHING RATIOS

A few early but now obsolete measurements have been omitted. See K.A. Olive, *et al.* (Particle Data Group), Chinese Physics **C38** 070001 (2014).

$\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+ \pi^0)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)$

Γ_2/Γ_1

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>EVTS</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
1.80±0.33 OUR AVERAGE		Error includes scale factor of 1.9.		
$2.00 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.11$	403	YELTON	18	BELL $e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
$1.27 \pm 0.31 \pm 0.11$	64	AUBERT	07AH BABR	$e^+ e^- \approx \gamma(4S)$

$\Gamma(\Omega^- \rho^+)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+ \pi^0)$

Γ_3/Γ_2

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>CL%</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
>0.71	90	¹ YELTON	18	BELL $e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher

¹ This submode fraction is evaluated from a background-subtracted signal in a mass plot. Result ignores interference effects and systematic uncertainties, which YELTON 18 claim are both small.

$\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^- 2\pi^+)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)$

Γ_4/Γ_1

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>EVTS</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
0.31±0.05 OUR AVERAGE				
$0.32 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.02$	108	YELTON	18	BELL $e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
$0.28 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.01$	25	AUBERT	07AH BABR	$e^+ e^- \approx \gamma(4S)$

$\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)/\Gamma(\Omega^- e^+ \nu_e)$

Γ_1/Γ_5

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>EVTS</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
0.41±0.19±0.04	11	AMMAR	02	CLE2 $e^+ e^- \approx \gamma(4S)$

$\Gamma(\Xi^0 \bar{K}^0)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)$					Γ_6/Γ_1
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
1.64±0.26±0.12	98	YELTON	18	BELL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
$\Gamma(\Xi^0 K^- \pi^+)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)$					Γ_7/Γ_1
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
1.20±0.16±0.08	168	YELTON	18	BELL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
$\Gamma(\Xi^0 \bar{K}^{*0}, \bar{K}^{*0} \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)/\Gamma(\Xi^0 K^- \pi^+)$					Γ_8/Γ_7
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
0.57±0.10	95	¹ YELTON	18	BELL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
¹ This submode fraction is evaluated from a background-subtracted signal in a mass plot. Result ignores interference effects and systematic uncertainties, which YELTON 18 claim are both small.					
$\Gamma(\Xi^- \bar{K}^0 \pi^+)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)$					Γ_9/Γ_1
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
2.12±0.24±0.14	349	YELTON	18	BELL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
$\Gamma(\Xi^- K^- 2\pi^+)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)$					Γ_{10}/Γ_1
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
0.63±0.09 OUR AVERAGE	Error includes scale factor of 1.4.				
0.68±0.07±0.03	278	YELTON	18	BELL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
0.46±0.13±0.03	45	AUBERT	07AH BABR	$e^+ e^- \approx \gamma(4S)$	
$\Gamma(\Xi(1530)^0 K^- \pi^+, \Xi^{*0} \rightarrow \Xi^- \pi^+)/\Gamma(\Xi^- K^- 2\pi^+)$					Γ_{11}/Γ_{10}
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
0.33±0.09	74	¹ YELTON	18	BELL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
¹ This submode fraction is evaluated from a background-subtracted signal in a mass plot. Result ignores interference effects and systematic uncertainties, which YELTON 18 claim are both small.					
$\Gamma(\Xi^- \bar{K}^{*0} \pi^+)/\Gamma(\Xi^- K^- 2\pi^+)$					Γ_{12}/Γ_{10}
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
0.55±0.16	136	¹ YELTON	18	BELL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
¹ This submode fraction is evaluated from a background-subtracted signal in a mass plot. Result ignores interference effects and systematic uncertainties, which YELTON 18 claim are both small.					
$\Gamma(\Sigma^+ K^- K^- \pi^+)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)$					Γ_{13}/Γ_1
VALUE	CL%	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
<0.32	90	17	YELTON	18	BELL $e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher
$\Gamma(\Lambda \bar{K}^0 \bar{K}^0)/\Gamma(\Omega^- \pi^+)$					Γ_{14}/Γ_1
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
1.72±0.32±0.14	95	YELTON	18	BELL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S)$, +higher

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